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Amendment and Response to Non-Final Office Action

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Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action for the above-identified application mailed from the U.S. Patent Office on March 16, 2007. This response is being filed within the third month after the end of the three-month shortened statutory period for response set in the office action. A separate petition and fee for a three-month extension of time to Monday, September 17, 2007 is filed herewith. No other fee is believed to be due in connection with this response. If any fee is deemed to be due for this response, or any overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0573.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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